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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

IN RE: DIET DRUGS (PHENTERMINE/  
FENFLURAMINE/DEXFENFLURAMINE)  
PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL DOCKET NO. 1203

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MICHAEL H. GOLDSTEIN and  
BARBARA RIFON, On behalf of  
themselves and all others  
similarly situated  
v.

CIVIL ACTION

SHIRE RICHWOOD, INC., et al.

NO. 98-20066

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SHARON PEREZ and JOSEPH PEREZ,  
On behalf of themselves and  
all others similarly situated  
v.

CIVIL ACTION

**FILED**

MAY - 7 1998

MICHAEL E. KUNZ, Clerk  
By \_\_\_\_\_ Dep. Clerk

SHIRE RICHWOOD, INC., et al.

NO. 98-20026

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MARIA ANTONOPOULOS, et al.  
v.

CIVIL ACTION

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WYETH AYERST LABORATORIES, et al.  
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NO. 98-20001

**PRETRIAL ORDER** 55

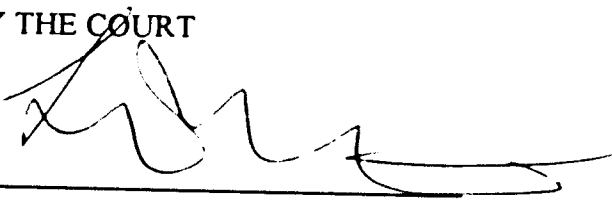
AND NOW, this 7<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1998, presently before the court are stipulations of dismissal for the above captioned cases. The court cannot approve these stipulations because the phrase "...on behalf of themselves and all others similiarly situated" appears in the captions of the

complaints. That language connotes a class action which can only be dismissed in accordance with F.R.C.P. 23.

ATTEST:

or BY THE COURT

BY: \_\_\_\_\_  
Deputy Clerk

  
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Judge

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